

REMARKS/ARGUMENTS

As noted in paragraph 1 of the office action, claims 1, 17, and 33 are independent claims. Although amended, claims 1, 17 and 33 remain the independent claims.

In paragraph 3, the examiner has noted that claims 8, 14, 16, 24, 30, 32, 40, and 46 would be allowable is rewritten in independent form including all of the limitations of the base claim and any intervening claims. Claim 1 has been rewritten including the limitations of claims 2, 4 and 8, claim 17 has been rewritten including the limitations of claims 18, 20 and 24, and claim 33 has been rewritten including the limitations of claims 34, 36 and 40. Claims 2, 4, 8, 18, 20, 24, 34, 36 and 40 have been canceled. It submitted that independent claims 1, 17 and 33, and all claims depended therefrom, are now in condition for allowance, which allowance is requested.

In paragraphs 5-7, claims 10-14, 26-30, and 42-46 are rejected under 35 U.S.C. 112, second paragraph, as being indefinite for failing to particularly point out and distinctly claims the subject matter which applicant regards as the invention.

Claim 1 has been rewritten to incorporate the limitations of claims 2 and 4. Likewise, claims 17 has been rewritten to incorporate the limitations of claims 18 and 20, and claim 33 has been rewritten to incorporate the limitations of claims 34 and 36. These amendments to claims 1, 17 and 33 correct the antecedent problems of paragraph 6 by including the limitation "said server-monitor" into claims 1, 17 and 33.

Claims 10, 26 and 42 have been amended to change "and/or" to --or-- as suggested by the examiner in paragraph 7.

Claims 14, 30, and 46 have been amended to correct a typographical by changing "subse" to --subset--.

It is submitted that claims 10-14, 26-30, and 42-46 are allowable under 35 U.S.C. 112, second paragraph, which allowance is respectfully requested.

It is respectfully submitted that the application is now in condition for allowance, which allowance is respectfully requested.

RESPECTFULLY SUBMITTED



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